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SUBJECT: STAR TRON SCOPES

REF: PARIS 06376

- 1. ON MARCH 14, SMITH AND WESSON PRESIDENT OBERG AND VP MCMAHAN MET WITH DEPARTMENT'S OFFICE OF MUNITIONS CONTROL (PM/MC) AND SUBMITTED NEW EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATION FOR STAR TRONS.
- 2. ON MARCH 17, DEPARTMENT ISSUED TO SMITH AND WESSON LICENSE NO. 92906 AUTHORIZING EXPORT TO FRANCE ONLY OF 1180 STAR TRONS WITH 135 MM F/1.6 LENS, 300 BIOCULAR VIEWERS, AND 100 STAR TRONS WITH 170 MM F/1.5 LENS. LICENSE DESIGNATES RAYMOND GERAND AS FOREIGN CONSIGNEE; REGIE MONCEAU, AS END USER WITH NOTATION THAT PRIOR TO RE-EXPORT, MONCEAU WILL ADVISE AMEMBASSY PARIS OF ULTIMATE END USERS.
- 3. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT EMBASSY WILL NOTIFY DEPARTMENT (PM/MC) AS SOON AS IT MADE AWARE OF PROSPECTIVE MONCEAU CUSTOMERS OUTSIDE FRANCE. THIS WILL PERMIT DEPARTMENT EXERCISE NECESSARY CONTROL OVER EXPORTS WHICH WOULD GO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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BEYOND COUNTRY STIPULATED IN EXPORT LICENSE.

4. DEPARTMENT APPRECIATES EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN RECOM-
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